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In Re Application of CLAIRE B. BASS	) ) )	Art Unit: 1771
Serial No.: 10/806,082	)	
Filed: March 22, 2004	, ) )	
Title: MOTOR VEHICLE AIR BAG AND FABRIC FOR USE IN SAME	)	

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